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C O R R E C T E D C O P Y (TEXT--PARAGRAPH 2.)

WHITEHOUSE FOR JON HOWE AND SUSAN HERTER

SECSTATE FOR A/CONDAYAN A/O - J. WALSH

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP (ROCKEFELLER, NELSON A.), NZ

SUBJ: VP VISIT TO NEW ZEALAND

A GENERAL WRAP UP OF THE VP SCENARIO AND BACKGROUND
IS PROVIDED FOR NEW ZEALAND.

1. ARRIVAL OHAKEA AIR FORCE BASE, WHERE AN
OFFICIAL ARRIVAL CEREMONY IS PLANNED BY THE GONZ
WITH HONOR GUARD AND REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE
DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS. EMBASSY WILL PROVIDE (SEPTTEL)
ADDITIONAL REFINEMENTS TO THIS EVENT.

2. IMMEDIATELY ON ARRIVAL LUGGAGE FOR THE VP, MRS.
ROCKEFELLER AND MISSION AND CLASSIFIED WILL BE FLOWN
VIA ROYAL NEW ZEALAND AIR FORCE PLANE TO WELLINGTON
AND WILL ARRIVE PRIOR TO THE MOTORCADE. THE REMAINDER
OF LUGGAGE FOR SUPPORT STAFF WILL FOLLOW IN ANOTHER
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RNZ CARGO AIRCRAFT.

3. THE VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER, MISS MURPHY AND SOME MEMBERS OF PARTY WILL MOTORCADE 2 HOURS 20 MIN. OVER A SCENIC ROUTE TO WELLINGTON. A ROYAL NEW ZEALAND AIR FORCE PLANE HAS BEEN MADE AVAILABLE FOR THIS MOVEMENT, HOWEVER THE UNPREDICTABLE WEATHER AT WELLINGTON AIRPORT COULD PREVENT THE FLIGHT OR MAKE IT UNCOMFORTABLE. AIRPORT CONDITIONS IN THE GREATER WELLINGTON AREA CHANGE FREQUENTLY BECAUSE OF TERRAIN SURROUNDING AREA, AND HIGH CROSS WINDS PRESENT A CONTINUOUS PROBLEM.

4. GENERAL WEATHER CONDITONS: EXTREMELY WINDY - CHANCE OF SHOWERS AT ANY TIME - TEMPERATURE DAYTIME 60 TO 65 RANGE, EVENING 5 TO 10 DEGREES COOLER.

5. DRESS FOR FUNCTION:

MEETING AND LUNCHEON - BUSINESS SUIT
APPROPRIATE LADIES ATTIRE
AMBASSADOR'S DINNER - BUSINESS SUIT
LONG DRESS FOR LADIES
DINNER WITH GOVERNOR-GENERAL - BLACK TIE
LONG DRESS FOR LADIES

SPECIAL NOTE: SMOKING IS TRADITIONALLY UNACCEPTABLE DURING MEALS, AND NOT UNTIL COFFEE IS SERVED.

6. LUNCHEON FOR MRS. ROCKEFELLER:

IT IS TRADITIONAL WHEN THE PRIME MINISTER HAS LUNCH FOR VISITING DIGNITARIES THAT HIS WIFE HOST A CORRESPONDING LUNCHEON FOR THE LADIES. AN INFORMAL LUNCH AT OHARIU VALLEY COUNTRY CLUB IS PLANNED. THIS INVOLVES A 20 MINUTE DRIVE FROM HOTEL AND MRS. ROCKEFELLER WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MRS. MULDOON, MISS MURPHY, MRS. SELDEN AND MRS. HERTER. DRESS AFTERNOON ATTIRE. ATTENDANCE APPROXIMATELY 20 WIVES OF CABINET MINISTERS AND NEW ZEALAND OFFICIALS. EMBASSY WILL PROVIDE FINALIZED LIST AND BIO INFORMATION.

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7. BRIEF MEDIA MEETING WITH PRIME MINISTER AFTER MEETING:

IT IS EXPECTED THAT THE VICE PRESIDENT AND PRIME MINISTER WILL MEET WITH ABOUT 20 LOCAL MEDIA AT THE CAUCUS ROOM IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE MEETING WITH PRIME MINISTER AND CABINET MINISTERS IN THE CABINET ROOM. DURATION OF MEDIA MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR FIVE MINUTES. BRIEF REMARKS BY VICE PRESIDENT AND PRIME MINISTER TO MEDIA.

8. MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND MISS MURPHY SCHEDULE:

OTHER THAN DINNER AT AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE, LUNCH WITH PRIME MINISTER'S WIFE, AND DINNER WITH GOVERNOR-GENERAL, THERE ARE NO OTHER SCHEDULED EVENTS. OPTIONS AND SUGGESTIONS FOR SIDE TRIPS, ETC., WILL BE PROVIDED.

9. WREATH LAYING CEREMONY:

IT IS TRADITIONAL THAT OFFICIAL STATE VISITORS AND GUESTS OF THE NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT LAY A WREATH AT THE NATIONAL WAR MEMORIAL. THIS WILL BE A BRIEF CEREMONY LASTING APPROXIMATELY TEN MINUTES AND INVOLVES A SIMPLE CEREMONY OF RECEIVING A WREATH FROM THE DEFENSE MINISTER OR HIS REPRESENTATIVE AND PLACING IT AT THE BASE OF THE MONUMENT. ACCOMPANIED/ASSISTED BY MAJOR WILLIAMS.

10. GIFT EXCHANGES:

PRIME MINISTER MULDOON WILL PRESENT A GIFT (CURRENT PLAN IS A LIMITED EDITION BIOGRAPHY OF JAMES COOK) TO THE VICE PRESIDENT ON HIS ARRIVAL IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE.

MRS. MULDOON WILL PRESENT A GIFT TO MRS. ROCKEFELLER IN AN INFORMAL, LOW-KEY WAY DURING THE LUNCHEON AT OHARU COUNTRY CLUB.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL BLUNDELL WILL PRESENT A GIFT TO THE VICE PRESIDENT, AND LADY BLUNDELL WILL PRESENT A GIFT TO MRS. ROCKEFELLER BETWEEN DINNER AND RECEPTION AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

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11. MEETING WITH OPPOSITION:

BOTH GOVERNMENT OF NEW ZEALAND AND AMBASSADOR STRONGLY FEEL THAT A 15 MINUTE MEETING WITH WALLACE ROWLING, OPPOSITION LEADER, IN HIS OFFICE IMMEDIATELY AFTER LUNCHEON IS BOTH NECESSARY AND UNAVOIDABLE WITHOUT SERIOUS REPERCUSSIONS. DETAILS IN SCHEDULE.

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12. OFFICIAL PRINTED SCHEDULE PROVIDED BY THE ROYAL
NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT:

THE GONZ HAS BEGUN PREPARATION OF A DETAILED ENGRAVED
SCHEDULE CUSTOMARILY DISTRIBUTED FOR ALL STATE VISITS.
SIR PATRICK, CHIEF OF PROTOCOL, HAS REQUESTED THAT ALL
FINAL DETAILS AND INFORMATION FOR THE VICE PRESIDENT'S
SCHEDULE BE PROVIDED BY MARCH 16TH IN ORDER TO MEET
TIGHT PRINTING SCHEDULE. GONZ WILL HAND DELIVER THESE
BOOKS TO AUSTRALIA FOR DISTRIBUTION TO AND USE BY
OFFICIAL VICE PRESIDENTIAL PARTY BEFORE ARRIVAL IN
NEW ZEALAND.

13 AMERICAN COMMUNITY:

MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNITY HAVE ASKED THAT AN
OPPORTUNITY FOR THEM TO SEE THE VICE PRESIDENT BE
INCLUDED IN HIS SCHEDULE. APPROXIMATELY 50 HAVE
BEEN INVITED TO ATTEND DEPARTURE CEREMONIES AT
WELLINGTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. THEY WILL BE NEAR
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THE AIRCRAFT SO THAT THE VICE PRESIDENT CAN GREET THEM
BRIEFLY PRIOR TO BOARDING THE AIRCRAFT.

14. DETAILED SCENARIO:

SCHEDULE FOLLOWS:

VICE PRESIDENT & MRS. ROCKEFELLER'S
VISIT TO
WELLINGTON, NEW ZEALAND

THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 1976

9:00 A.M. DEPART SYDNEY ENROUTE OHAKEA, RNZAF
BASE NEW ZEALAND.

FLYING TIME: 3 HOURS, 10 MINUTES
TIME CHANGE: PLUS 2 HOURS
BRUNCH SERVED ENROUTE.

2:10 P.M. AIR FORCE II ARRIVES OHAKEA, ROYAL
NEW ZEALAND AIR FORCE (RNZAF) BASE.

THE VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER,
MISS MURPHY DESCEND THE FRONT RAMP
FOLLOWED AT A DISTANCE BY MAJOR WILLIAMS.
AT THE FOOT OF THE RAMP THE VICE PRESIDENT,
MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND MISS MURPHY ARE
GREETED BY THE PRIME MINISTER AND
MRS. R. MULDOON, AMBASSADOR AND
MRS. A. I. SELDEN, JR. AND ARE CONDUCTED
TO SALUTE BASE.

VIP AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS

ALL OTHER MEMBERS OF THE PARTY DEPLANE
FROM THE REAR RAMP AND WILL BE DIRECTED
TO THEIR ASSIGNED VEHICLE OR AIRCRAFT
WHILE HONORS ARE BEING RENDERED.

2:15 P.M. UPON REACHING THE FOOT OF THE SALUTING
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BASE TO THE REAR, THE PRIME MINISTER
INVITES THE VICE PRESIDENT TO TAKE THE
SALUTE. THE VICE PRESIDENT ASCENDS THE
SALUTING BASE AND TAKES UP A POSITION
FACING THE GUARD OF HONOR.

SPECIAL NOTE: BEHIND THE VICE PRESIDENT
AND FACING THE GUARD OF HONOR (LEFT TO
RIGHT) WILL BE:

PRIME MINISTER MULDOON
AIR OFFICER COMMANDING, OPERATIONS GROUP, RNZAF
MRS. ROCKEFELLER
AMBASSADOR SELDEN
MISS MURPHY
MAJOR WILLIAMS
MRS. MULDOON

MANIFEST

NEW ZEALAND - AIRCRAFT NO. 1 NEW ZEALAND AIRCRAFT NO. 2

MRS. SELDEN H. DIXON
K. HUIDRUM
S. BROWNE
MARINE S. COCKRELL
J. OWENS
M. LAYTON
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BAGGAGE AIRCRAFT DEPARTS.

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2:17 P.M. AS THE VICE PRESIDENT TAKES HIS PLACE ON
THE SALUTING BASE THE GUARD COMMANDER WILL
GIVE THE ORDER "GENERAL SALUTE,
PRESENT ARMS", THEN ADVANCE TO THE VICE
PRESIDENT AND REPORT THE GUARD OF HONOR
IS READY FOR HIS INSPECTION. THE VICE
PRESIDENT ESCORTED BY THE GUARD COMMANDER
AND ACCOMPANIED BY MAJOR WILLIAMS AND THE
AIR OFFICER COMMANDING, THEN INSPECTS THE
GUARD.

NOTE: DURING INSPECTION THE BAND WILL
PLAY A SHORT PIECE OF MUSIC, AND THE
WELCOMING PARTY AND THEIR GUESTS WILL BE
CONDUCTED TO A RECEIVING AREA TO AWAIT
THE COMPLETION OF THE INSPECTION.

2:20 P.M. AFTER INSPECTION THE GUARD COMMANDER WILL
ASK PERMISSION TO CARRY ON (THE VICE
PRESIDENT NODS), AND THE VICE PRESIDENT,
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AOC AND MAJOR WILLIAMS WILL RETURN TO
THEIR POSITION AT THE SALUTING BASE AND
FACE THE GUARD. THE GUARD COMMANDER THEN
ORDERS:

"GENERAL SALUTE, PRESENT ARMS"
NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL ANTHEMS
NATIONAL ANTHEM OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

NOTE: DURING THE PLAYING OF THE ANTHEMS

IT IS APPROPRIATE TO PLACE THE RIGHT HAND
OVER THE HEART.

2:25 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT MOVES FROM THE SALUTING
BASE AND IS ESCORTED BY THE PRIME MINISTER
TO GREET THE ASSEMBLED AMBASSADORS AND
HEADS OF DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS AND NEW ZEALAND
OFFICIALS MRS. MULDOON INTRODUCES MRS.
ROCKEFELLER AND MISS MURPHY TO THE WELCOMING
COMMITTEE.

2:30 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND
MISS MURPHY ARE ESCORTED TO THEIR MOTORCADE
BY THE PRIME MINISTER AND MRS. MULDOON.

2:35 P.M. MOTORCADE DEPARTS OHAKEA RAFNZ BASE ENROUTE
WELLINGTON. (SCENIC DRIVE TWO HOURS AND
30 MINUTES.)

MOTORCADE FROM OHAKEA TO WELLINGTON

GONZ LEAD USSS

GONZ PILOT CANZERI/USSS

VICE PRESIDENT LIMO GONZ SECURITY/USSS
VICE PRESIDENT
MRS. ROCKEFELLER
MISS MURPHY

USSS FOLLOW-UP USSS/GONZ SECURITY/MEDIC
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AMBASSADOR LIMO AMBASSADOR AND MRS. SELDEN

CONTROL CAR CODUS/HOWE/RILAND

PRESS CAR MORROW/KIGHTLINGER/WHCA

STAFF CAR HERTER/MILLER/WILLIAMS

SPARE CAR

GONZ TAIL USSS

VIP AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS

3:15 P.M. RNZ2 ARRIVES WELLINGTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
AND BOARD ENROUTE JAMES COOK HOTEL

3:55 P.M. ARRIVE JAMES COOK HOTEL.

5:00 P.M. MOTORCADE ARRIVES JAMES COOK HOTEL, VICE PRESIDENT,
MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND MISS MURPHY ARE MET BY:

IAN MCCUTCHEON, MAYOR OF WELLINGTON
AND TOWN CLERK

, MGR. JAMES COOK HOTEL

BRIEF PHOTO COVERAGE.

5:05 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND
MISS MURPHY BID FAREWELL TO THE PRIME
MINISTER AND MRS. MULDOON.

5:10 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND
MISS MURPHY ARE ESCORTED TO THEIR SUITE BY
AMBASSADOR AND MRS. SELDEN.

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5:15 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT AND MRS. ROCKEFELLER
ARRIVE SUITE AND BID FAREWELL TO AMBASSADOR
AND MRS. SELDEN.

PERSONAL STAFF TIME: 2 HOURS, 20 MINUTES

DRESS: BUSINESS SUIT AND LONG DRESSES.

7:35 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND
MISS MURPHY DEPART SUITE FOR MOTORCADE.

7:40 P.M. MOTORCADE DEPARTS ENROUTE EMBASSY RESIDENCE
FOR DINNER HOSTED BY AMBASSADOR AND MRS.
SELDEN.

MOTORCADE FROM JAMES COOK HOTEL TO AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE

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GONZ PILOT CANZERI/USSS
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VICE PRESIDENT
MRS. ROCKEFELLER
MISS MURPHY

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CONTROL CAR CODUS/HOWE/RILAND

PRESS CAR MORROW/KIGHTLINGER/WHCA

STAFF CAR HERTER/MILLER

SPARE CAR

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8:00 P.M. ARRIVE RESIDENCE. THE VICE PRESIDENT,
MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND MISS MURPHY ARE
GREETED BY AMBASSADOR AND MRS. SELDEN AND
INTRODUCE GUESTS.

GUESTS: APPROXIMATELY 36

NEW ZEALAND OFFICIALS AMERICAN OFFICIALS

8:30 P.M. DINNER BEGINS.

10:25 P.M. DINNER CONCLUDES. THE VICE PRESIDENT,
MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND MISS MURPHY ARE
ESCORTED TO THEIR MOTORCADE BY AMBASSADOR
AND MRS. SELDEN.

MOTORCADE SAME AS ON ARRIVAL

10:30 P.M. MOTORCADE DEPARTS ENROUTE JAMES COOK HOTEL.

10:50 P.M. ARRIVE JAMES COOK HOTEL.

10:55 P.M. VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND
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MISS MURPHY ARRIVE SUITE FOR OVERNIGHT.

FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 1976

DRESS: DARK BUSINESS SUIT.

9:40 A.M. AMBASSADOR SELDEN ARRIVES SUITE
TO ESCORT THE VICE PRESIDENT TO THE U.S.
EMBASSY.

9:45 A.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT IS ESCORTED FROM HIS
SUITE BY AMBASSADOR SELDEN AND WALKS (100 YDS.)
FROM THE JAMES COOK HOTEL TO U.S. EMBASSY.

9:50 A.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT IS ESCORTED TO THE
EXECUTIVE SUITE BY AMBASSADOR SELDEN AND
INTRODUCED TO THE MEMBERS OF THE U.S. EMBASSY
COUNTRY TEAM.

10:15 A.M. MEETING WITH COUNTRY TEAM CONCLUDES
AND AMBASSADOR SELDEN INVITES AMERICAN
AND LOCAL EMBASSY EMPLOYEES TO GREET
THE VICE PRESIDENT.

10:30 A.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT AND AMBASSADOR SELDEN
DEPART EMBASSY FOR MOTORCADE.

INDIVIDUAL PHOTO SESSION AS VP MEETS 15 PEOPLE.

10:35 A.M. MOTORCADE DEPARTS ENROUTE PARLIAMENT HOUSE.

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MOTORCADE U.S. EMBASSY TO PARLIAMENT

GONZ LEAD USSS

GONZ PILOT CANZERI/USSS

VICE PRESIDENT LIMO USSS

VICE PRESIDENT

AMBASSADOR SELDEN

USSS FOLLOW-UP USSS/GONZ SECURITY/MEDIC

CONTRRV CAR CODUS/HOWE/RILAND

PRESS CAR MORROW/KIGHTLINGER/WHCA

STAFF CAR MILLER/WILLIAMS

SAPRE CAR

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GONZ TAIL USSS

10:45 A.M. ARRIVE MAIN ENTRANCE PARLIAMENT HOUSE. THE VICE PRESIDENT AND AMBASSADOR SELDEN ARE GREETED BY PRIME MINISTER MULDOON AND ESCORTED TO HIS OFFICE.

10:50 A.M. THE PRIME MINISTER EXTENDS AN INVITATION TO THE VICE PRESIDENT TO SIGN THE OFFICIAL GUEST BOOK AND GIFTS ARE EXCHANGED BETWEEN THE VICE PRESIDENT AND PRIME MINISTER.

BRIEF PRESS COVERAGE.

11:00 A.M. PRIVATE TALKS BETWEEN VICE PRESIDENT AND PRIME MINISTER.

11:20 A.M. PRIME MINISTER ESCORTS THE VICE PRESIDENT (JOINED BY CAPT.HOWE AND MR. MILLER) TO THE CABINET ROOM FOR A MEETING WITH ALL MEMBERS OF THE NEW ZEALAND CABINET.

12:15 P.M. MEETING WITH THE NEW ZEALAND CABINET CONCLUDES. PRIME MINISTER ESCORTS THE VICE PRESIDENT TO THE CAUCAS ROOM FOR BRIEF PRESS REMARKS.

12:20 P.M. ARRIVE CAUCAS ROOM, PRIME MINISTER INTRODUCES THE VICE PRESIDENT TO NEW ZEALAND PRESS CORPS.

12:25 P.M. PRESS REMARKS CONCLUDE AND PRIME MINISTER ESCORTS THE VICE PRESIDENT TO HIS ENROUTE STATE LUNCHEON.

12:30 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT IS ESCORTED BY THE PRIME MINISTER FROM HIS OFFICE TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL CHAMBERS FOR THE NEW ZEALAND STATE LUNCHEON.

150 NEW ZEALAND MINISTERS, SENIOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, REPRESENTATIVES MEMBERS OF
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DIPLOMATIC CORPS, AMBASSADOR SELDEN, CAPT. HOWE AND MR. MILLER AND OTHER OFFICIAL PARTY.

NOTE: AS THE VICE PRESIDENT AND PRIME MINISTER ENTER THE CHAMBER OF CHAMBER ANNOUNCER PROCLAIMS:

"HIS EXCELLENCY MR. NELSON A. ROCKEFELLER, THE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA"

"THE RIGHT HONORABLE PRIME MINISTER"

LUNCHEON COMMENCES.

1:30 P.M. THE CHAMBER ANNOUNCER PROCLAIMS:

"THE RIGHT HONORABLE PRIME MINISTER"
PRIME MINISTER MULDOON RISES AND GIVES
THE TOAST:

"HIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT (RPT.
PRESIDENT) OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA"

THE TOAST IS HONORED.

THE VICE PRESIDENT RISES AND GIVES THE
TOAST.

"HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH THE SECOND,
QUEEN OF NEW ZEALAND"

THE TOAST IS HONORED.

ALL RESUME THEIR SEATS.

AT THE CONCLUSION OF LUNCH, COFFEE IS
SERVED AND THE ADDRESS OF WELCOME BEGINS.

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THE PRIME MINISTER INVITES THE LEADER OF
THE OPPOSITION, MR. W. E. ROWLING, TO
SUPPORT HIS WELCOMING ADDRESS.

ADDRESS BY THE LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION.
THE PRIME MINISTER GIVES THE TOAST -

"OUR DISTINGUISHED GUEST -
HIS EXCELLENCY MR. NELSON A. ROCKEFELLER
THE VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA"

THE VICE PRESIDENT RISES AND OFFERS HIS
TOAST - BRIEF PAUSE.

PRIME MINISTER INVITES THE VICE PRESIDENT
TO ADDRESS THE GUESTS.

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2:25 P.M. LUNCHEON CONCLUDES, AMBASSADOR SELDEN
ESCORTS THE VICE PRESIDENT TO THE OFFICE
OF THE LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION.

2:30 P.M. ARRIVE THE OFFICE OF THE LEADER OF THE
OPPOSITION OF MR. W. E. ROWLING.

2:45 P.M. PRIVATE MEETING CONCLUDES AND AMBASSADOR
SELDEN ESCORTS THE VICE PRESIDENT TO HIS
MOTORCADE.

2:50 P.M. ARRIVE MOTORCADE AND DEPART PARLIAMENT HOUSE
ENROUTE NATIONAL WAR MEMORIAL.

MOTORCADE FROM PARLIAMENT HOUSE TO WAR MEMORIAL

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GONZ PILOT CANZERI/USSS

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PRESS CAR MORROW/KIGHTLINGER/WHCA

STAFF CAR MILLER/WILLIAMS

SPARE CAR

GONZ TAIL USSS

3:00 P.M. MOTORCADE ARRIVES NATIONAL WAR MEMORIAL.
THE VICE PRESIDENT IS GREETED BY MR. ALAN
MCCREADY, MINISTER OF DEFENSE AND ESCORTED TO
THE BASE OF THE MEMORIAL. THE VICE PRESIDENT
S ACCOMPANIED BY MAJ. WILLIAMS. AT THE
BASE OF THE MONUMENT, A NEW ZEALAND MILITARY
AIDE PRESENTS A WREATH TO THE VICE PRESIDENT
WHO IS ASSISTED BY MAJ. WILLIAMS IN PLACING
THE WREATH SEVERAL STEPS FORWARD.

AFTER A BRIEF PAUSE THE VICE PRESIDENT AND
MAJ. WILLIAMS ARE ESCORTED TO THEIR MOTORCADE.

3:15 P.M. VICE PRESIDENT'S MOTORCADE DEPARTS ENROUTE
JAMES COOK HOTEL.

MOTORCADE FROM WAR MEMORIAL TO JAMES COOK HOTEL

GONZ LEAD USSS

GONZ PILOT CANZERI/USSS

VICE PRESIDENT LIMO USSS
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CONTROL CAR CODUS/HOWE/RILAND

PRESS CAR MORROW/KIGHTLINGER/WHCA

STAFF CAR MILLER/WILLIAMS

SPARE CAR

GONZ TAIL USSS

3:20 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT IS ACCOMPANIED TO HIS
SUITE BY AMBASSADOR SELDEN.

PERSONAL STAFF TIME: 3 HOURS, 50 MINUTES

DRESS: BLACK TIE WITH NATIONAL DECORATIONS
AND LONG DRESSES.

7:05 P.M. AMBASSADOR AND MRS. SELDEN ARRIVE
TO ESCORT THE VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER
AND MISS MURPHY TO DINNER HOSTED BY
GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND LADY BLUNDELL.

7:10 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND
MISS MURPHY DEPART SUITE FOR MOTORCADE.

7:15 P.M. MOTORCADE DEPARTS ENROUTE TO GOVERNMENT HOUSE.

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WHITEHOUSE FOR JON HOWE AND SUSAN HERTER

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MOTORCADE FROM JAMES COOK HOTEL TO GOVERNMENT HOUSE

GONZ LEAD USSS

GONZ PILOT CANZERI/USSS

VICE PRESIDENT'S LIMO GONZ SECURITY/USSS
VICE PRESIDENT
MRS. ROCKEFELLER
MISS MURPHY

USSS FOLLOW-UP GONZ SECURITY/USSS/MEDIC

AMBASSADOR'S CAR AMBASSADOR SELDEN
MRS. SELDEN

CONTROL CAR CODUS/HOWE/RILAND

PRESS CAR MORROW/KIGHTLINGER/WHCA

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STAFF CAR ONE HERTER/MILLER/WILLIAMS

SPARE CAR

GONZ TAIL USSS

7:30 P.M. ARRIVE GOVERNMENT HOUSE, VICE PRESIDENT,
MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND MISS MURPHY ARE GREETED
BY GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND LADY BLUNDELL AND
ESCORTED TO RECEPTION ROOM.

PRIVATE DINNER:

THE VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER
AND MISS MURPHY
AMBASSADOR AND MRS. SELDEN
GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND LADY BLUNDELL

9:30 P.M. DINNER CONCLUDES AND GOVERNOR-GENERAL
ESCORTS GUESTS FROM THE DINNING ROOM TO
THE RECEPTION SALON AND MAKES INTRODUCTIONS.

10:30 P.M. GOVERNOR-GENERAL FORMALLY INTRODUCES THE

HONORED GUESTS WITH WELCOMING REMARKS
FOLLOWED BY BRIEF REMARKS BY THE VICE
PRESIDENT.

11:15 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT IS ESCORTED BY GOVERNOR-
GENERAL AND LADY BLUNDELL TO THEIR
MOTORCADE.

MOTORCADE GOVERNMENT HOUSE TO JAMES COOK HOTEL

GONZ LEAD USSS

GONZ LEAD CANZERI/USSS

VICE PRESIDENT'S LIMO GONZ SECURITY/USSS
VICE PRESIDENT
MRS. ROCKEFELLER
MISS MURPHY
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USSS FOLLOW-UP GONZ SECURITY/USSS MEDIC

AMBASSADOR'S CAR AMBASSADOR SELDEN
MRS. SELDEN

CONTROL CAR CODUS/HOWE/RILAND

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STAFF CAR ONE HERTER/MILLER/WILLIAMS

SPARE CAR

GONZ TAIL USSS

11/20 P.M. MOTORCADE DEPARTS ENROUTE JAMES COOK HOTEL.

11:25 P.M. ARRIVE JAMES COOK HOTEL.

11:30 P.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND
MISS MURPHY ARRIVE SUITE FOR OVERNIGHT.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 3, 1976

BAGGAGE CALL -

1:00 A.M. ALL LUGGAGE MUST BE PLACED

OUTSIDE YOUR ROOM NO LATER THAN 1:00 A.M.

DO NOT LOCK LUGGAGE. HAND CARRY ALL FILM.

VIP AND STAFF INSTRUCTIONS

7:45 A.M. VIP STAFF BUS DEPARTS JAMES COOK

HOTEL FOR WELLINGTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

FLIGHT TO OHAKEA.

MANIFEST

ROYAL NEW ZEALAND AIRCRAFT NO. 2 BAGGAGE AIRCRAFT

S. BROWNE

C. MAGUIRE

S. COCKRELL

BAGGAGE HANDLER

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M. LAYTON

USSS

J. OWENS

US EMBASSY

H. DIXON WHCA
K. HULDRUM

NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT
NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT
EMB. MSG.
EMB. ADMIN
EMB. GSO

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8:45 A.M. VIP STAFF ARRIVE OHAKEA AIRPORT
AND BOARD AIRFORCE II.

SATURDAY, APRIL 3, 1976

8:20 A.M. PRIME MINISTER AND MRS MULDOON
ARRIVE SUITE TO ESCORT VICE PRESIDENT TO
AIRPORT.

8:25 A.M. VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND
MISS MURPHY DEPART SUITE FOR MOTORCADE
ESCORTED BY PRIME MINISTER AND MRS. MULDOON.

8:30 A.M. MOTORCADE DEPARTS ENROUTE WELLINGTON
INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT.

MOTORCADE JAMES COOK HOTEL TO WELLINGTON AIRPORT

GONZ LEAD USSS

GONZ PILOT CANZERI/USSS

VICE PRESIDENT' LIMO GONZ SECURITY/USSS
VICE PRESIDENT
PRIME MINISTER
AMBASSADOR SELDEN

USSS FOLLOW-UP GONZ SECURITY USSS/MEDIC
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AMBASSADOR'S CAR MRS. ROCKEFELLER
MISS MURPHY
MRS. SELDEN
MRS MULDOON

GONZ SECURITY GONZ SECURITY/USSS

CONTROL CAR CODUS/HOWE/RILAND

PRESS CAR MORROW/KIGHTLINGER/WHCA

STAFF CAR ONE HERTER/MILLER/WILLIAMS

SPARE CAR

GONZ TAIL USSS

9:00 A.M. ARRIVE WELLINGTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT,
GATE 12.

VICE PRESIDENT ACCOMPANIED BY PRIME
MINISTER MULDOON AND AMBASSADOR SELDEN PROCEED
TO AREA RESERVED FOR REPRESENTATIVES
OF THE AMERICAN COMMUNITY IN WELLINGTON.

VICE PRESIDENT GREETES REPRESENTATIVES
OF AMERICAN COMMUNITY.

VICE PRESIDENT, ACCOMPANIED BY PRIME
MINISTER MULDOON AND AMBASSADOR SELDEN,
PROCEEDS TO AIRCRAFT TO JOIN MRS. ROCKEFELLER,
MISS MURPHY, MRS. MULDOON AND MRS. SELDEN.

PRIME MINISTER AND MRS. MULDOON SAY FAREWELL.

VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER AND
MISS MURPHY BOARD ROYAL NEW ZEALAND
AIRCRAFT (F-27).

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SECSTATE FOR A/CONDAYAN A/O - J. WALSH

9:15 A.M. ROYAL NEW ZEALAND AIRCRAFT (F-27) DEPARTS
WELLINGTON FOR OHAKEA

NEW ZEALAND NO. 1

VICE PRESIDENT
MRS. ROCKEFELLER
MISS MURPHY
AMBASSADOR SELDEN
MRS. SELDEN
S. HERTER
H. MORROW
J. HOWE
R. MILLER
W. CODUS
K. RILAND
J. CANZERI
T. WILLIAMS
J. KIGHTLINGER
R. THOMSEN

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NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT
NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT
USSS
USSS

9:45 A.M. ARRIVE OHAKEA RNZAF.

9:50 A.M. ACTING BASE COMMANDER GREETES PARTY AND
ESCORTS TO AIRFORCE II.

9:55 A.M. THE VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. ROCKEFELLER, MISS MURPHY
BOARD AIRFORCE II.

10:00 A.M. AIRFORCE II DEPARTS OHAKEA FOR PAPEETE, TAHITI.

FLYING TIME: 5 HOURS, 20 MINUTES
TIME CHANGE: 22 HOURS
(INTERNATIONAL DATE LINE)

BRUNCH AND DINNER SERVED ENROUTE.
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